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The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

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LETTER

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Sir:

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[x] 15 Sheets of Informal Drawings

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In the event a Petition for Extension of Time is required by this paper and not otherwise provided, such Petition is hereby made and authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 02-3285 for the cost of such extension.

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